ST. MARK'S SENIOR SECONDARY PUBLIC SCHOOL, JANAKPURI

SESSION 2023-2024

HOLIDAY HOMEWORK



Was it made here? Or was it flown in? Will I use this again? Or will it go in the bin? Will this recycle? Am I wasting food? Can I mend this instead? Of buying one new? Can I walk to school? And get fit and trim? Does it need plastic wrap? Does it have palm oil in? Shall we make it at home? Rather than carry out? Do I need it or want it? OR Can I do without?

Dear Parent

The much awaited summer break is here! This is the time that children enjoy the most. Alongwith all the fun activities that they will do, we will also like to keep them productively occupied.

We have chosen Sustainable Development Goals as the Summer Holiday Homework theme. We at St. Mark's believe that by teaching our students about the SDGs given by the United Nations, we can inspire them to contribute towards a better future for all. A wide range of activities have been planned to keep our young students engaged fruitfully during the summer holidays. We urge you all to help your wards know more about these Global Goals and understand the importance of living in harmony with nature.

Together we build a better future...

CLASS : II

Theme: Life on Land

SDG # 15

DO YOU KNOW?

SDG # 15 – LIFE ON LAND – is not only about preserving nature, but also about promoting sustainable use of nature's resources. So that future generations can benefit from their natural gifts. We can all play a part in creating a clean and healthy future for everyone and everything on the planet for million more years to come!

So, come on my SDG WARRIORS! Put on your thinking caps and do your bit for our beautiful planet!

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1. MY PLANET - MY RESPONSIBILITY

Imagine you are a character Aanya/Aarav. You are going to experience the different lives of people across various landforms.

- Roll No. 1 to 9 Life in the Plains
- Roll No. 10 to 18 Life in the Desert
- Roll No. 19 to 27 Life near the Rivers
- Roll No. 27 to 35 Life in the Mountains

Draw and colour your beautiful landscape and write five ways in which you can help preserve your landform for better living conditions for future generations.

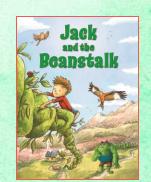


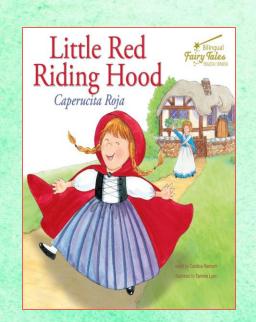
2. READING TIME

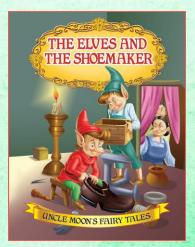
Life on Land is indeed beautiful! Let us read some classic children's stories based somewhere in the woods, in the mountains, near the river or in a desert.

Pick your favourite character from any two stories and write their character sketch.

- Jack and the Beanstalk
- Little Red Riding Hood
- The Shoemaker and the Elves
- Rumpelstiltskin
- Beauty and the Beast
- Puss in the Boots
- The Panchatantra Tales
- Thumbelina













प्रकृति हमारी धरोहर

- हफ़्ते के ७ दिनों के नाम लिखें जिसमें हर एक दिन हम इस सुंदर प्रकृति की रक्षा कैसे कर सकते हैं, उसके बारे में उस दिन के नाम के आगे कुछ शब्दों और तस्वीरों से समझाएँ।
- क्या आप जानते हैं कि हमारा राष्ट्रीय पक्षी मोर विलुप्त होने के कगार पर है? इस सुंदर पक्षी का एक चित्र पुनर्चक्रण सामग्री (recyclable material) से बनायें व उसके बारे में बताते हुए कुछ पंक्तियाँ लिखें।











1. PATTERNS OF NATURE

Pull up your socks as it's time to hop on for a morning walk in a nearby park/garden to observe the beauty of nature. Explore the surroundings and find objects such as pebbles, leaves, seed pods, flowers, feathers, sticks etc. Now try to create at least 5 different patterns/series using them. Click the pictures or recreate by drawing/colouring the patterns in your scrap file.



2. Let's Go Shopping



While going to the market on one of your free Sundays during the summer break, ask your parents to give you ₹100 to visit the nearby Stationery shop. Take an eco-friendly paper bag/ cloth bag with you and buy different useful stationery items (like pencils, an eraser, a sharpener, a scale etc.).

Draw a picture in your scrap file of each item bought and write the amount you paid for it. Now find out the total money you spent. Also, calculate the amount left with you after your purchase. You can also paste the bill of the items given by the shopkeeper. Spend your money wisely.







GENERAL AWARENESS

Animal Habitats, Tree Types and Nature Facts

Trees play a crucial role to many of our neighbourhood animal friends. Let us head outside and be nature detectives as we look at the lives of trees. Go on a tree hunt to see what types of animals use trees for shelter and home. Click pictures, paste them in your scrap file and write your observations. (Ex-Difference between types of trees, trees as animal homes and habitats, birds living on trees, different types of nests)





Sustainability is no longer about doing less harm. Its also about doing more good.

ONE TREE PER CHILD

If every child is involved in planting one tree, then millions of trees could be planted around the world. Why wait when you can make a difference! Plant a tree and make your contribution towards a greener planet!

